



CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

Date: Monday, April 25, 2011
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CALTRANS ANNOUNCES NIGHT WORK WITHIN THE CITY OF COALINGA

WHAT: INTERSECTION MAINTENANCE REHABILITATION PROJECT

WHEN: BEGINNING, SUNDAY EVENING, MAY 1ST FROM MIDNIGHT UNTIL 8:30 A.M.
MONDAY MORNING. (ONE NIGHT ONLY.)

WHERE: FRESNO COUNTY; CITY OF COALINGA; INTERSECTION OF ELM AND W. POLK STREET

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) announces maintenance crews will conduct pavement rehabilitation operations beginning, Monday, May 1st at the intersection of State Route 198 (Elm Avenue) and State Route 33 (W. Polk Street).

In order to minimize impacts to motorists, residents and businesses near this intersection, maintenance operations will take place during the early morning hours. Lane closures will be necessary in order to safely initiate this improvement project. At least one lane in each direction of travel will be made available for thru traffic.

This scheduled project will occur, weather permitting. Lane closures may continue for longer periods of time if necessary, due to delays caused by weather or uncontrollable events which may occur during maintenance.

Caltrans would like to thank the residents, businesses and commuters for their patience during this maintenance project. The public is reminded to drive with extra care while travelling through this intersection and to adhere to all posted signage. Please merge when directed to do so, be alert to maintenance personnel and please ***“Slow for the Cone Zone.”***

For further information regarding this project, contact the Public Information Office at the number listed above.

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